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**Big - Store**  
**REMNANT**  
**SALE**  
Our entire accumulation of  
**REMNANTS**  
in SILKS and DRESS GOODS  
at a big reduction in price.

**THE E. C. NICHOLS CO.**  
A SPECIAL MARKED-DOWN SALE  
Sideboards, Extension Tables,  
Parlor Tables, Writing Desks,  
Chamber Sets, and Rockers,  
FOR THIS MONTH.  
C. W. MERRILL Furniture Company,  
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**COTTOLINE**  
FOR SALE AT ACTUAL  
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TWO FINE  
**FUR LINED**  
Black Kersey OVERCOATS  
Sizes 42 and 44.  
**J. WATERMAN,**  
Strictly One Price Clothier,  
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**Important Announcement to the Public.**  
Increased service of the Maine Central Railroad. Trains almost every hour between Bangor and New York, Boston, and other points. For full particulars, apply to the Ticket Agent at Bangor.

**FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.**  
Money quotations.  
New York, Jan. 3. Money on call 4 1/2%.

**THE OHIO FIGHT.**  
The Hanna Men Cause a Sensation on Friday.  
Decide to Call No Senatorial Caucus Owing to Conditions.  
Indignant Constituents Storm Capital to Reprove Betters.  
All Possible Means Being Taken to Defeat Hanna.

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The Formal Coroner's Inquest Begun on Tuesday.  
The Old Building Had Been Considered Unsafe for Some Time.  
Some of the 'Joried People Reported to be in Serious Condition.

**A DECIDED SET-BACK.**  
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Extraordinary Decision of the Arbitrator in Claims Against Mexico.  
Peculiar Lack of Legal Conception by Argentine Minister in Deciding.

**MAINE FOR 1897.**  
Secretary Rich of State Board of Trade Gives a Review.  
The Outlook for the Good Old Pine Tree State Was Never Better.  
Trade in a Very Healthy State and Many Increases are Noted.

**Oh, How Thankful**  
Pain Was Madding and Hope Had Been Abandoned. Wonderful Results of Purifying the Blood.

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